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**NUCLEIC ACID AND AMINO ACID SEQUENCES RELATING TO
STAPHYLOCOCCUS EPIDERMIDIS FOR DIAGNOSTICS AND THERAPEUTICS**

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(c)) SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

I hereby declare that I am

☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below:

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I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.12, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described, entitled: NUCLEIC ACID AND AMINO ACID SEQUENCES RELATING TO *STAPHYLOCOCCUS EPIDERMIDIS* FOR DIAGNOSTICS AND THERAPEUTICS by inventor(s) Lynn Doucette-Stamm et al. described in:

☒ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.

☐ the application identified above.

☐ the patent identified above.

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